

City of Raleigh
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Stormwater Management



Ramblewood Drainage Improvement Project

Public Meeting - Jaycee Park
June 14, 2017

Introductions



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- David Kiker, PE, Engineering Services
- Veronica High, PE, Engineering Services
- Kristin Freeman, Engineering Services
- Sarah Gentry, Real Estate

WK Dickson Staff

- Scott Sigmon, PE
- Miranda Smalling, PE

Presentation Overview

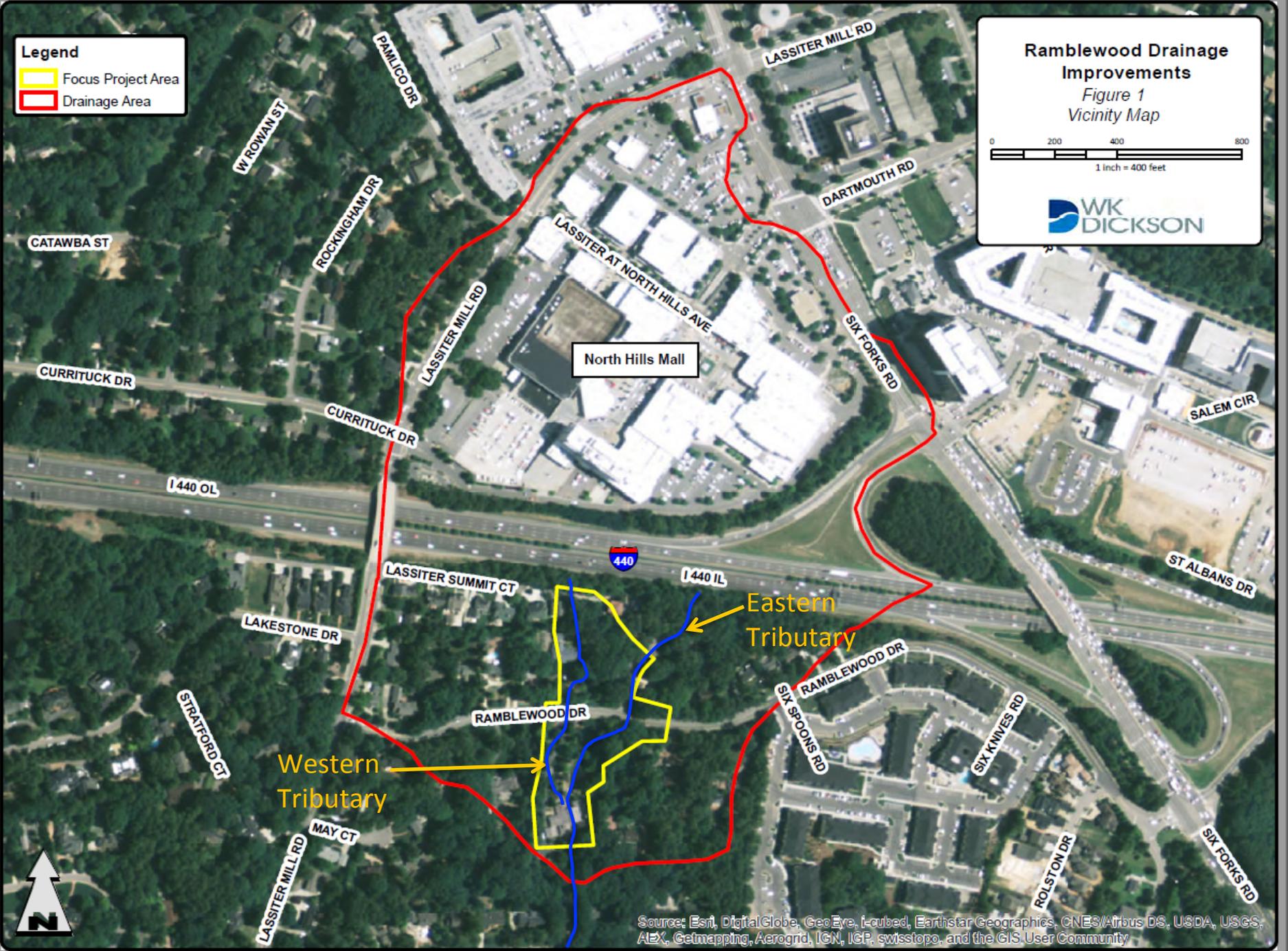


- ✓ Study Area
- ✓ Existing Drainage Issues
- ✓ Project Goals
- ✓ Stormwater Modeling
- ✓ Recommended Drainage Improvements
- ✓ Permitting
- ✓ Construction Expectations and Challenges
- ✓ Proposed Schedule
- ✓ Easement Acquisition Process
- ✓ Questions & Answers
- ✓ Break Out Sessions

Legend

- Focus Project Area
- Drainage Area

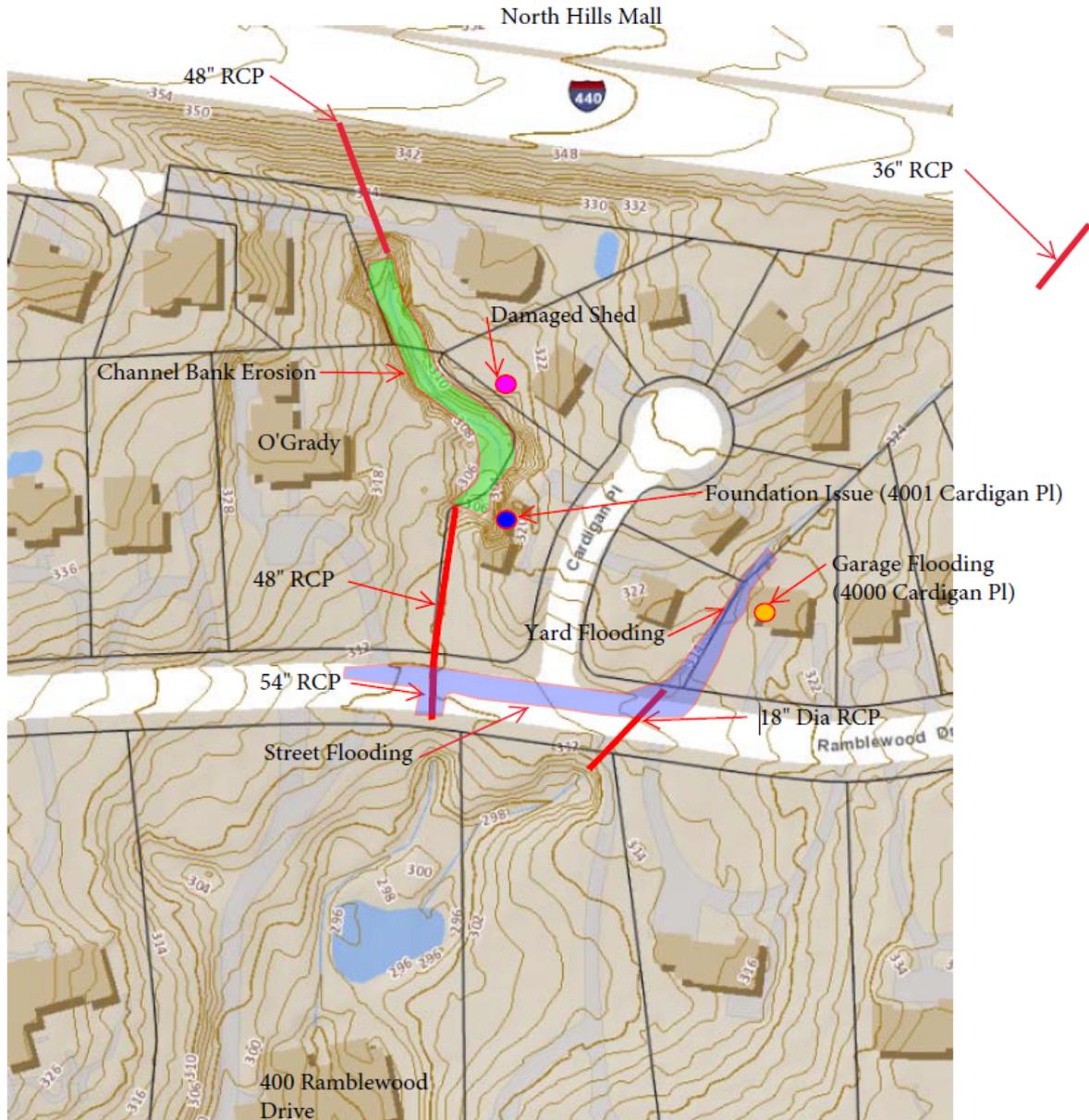
Ramblewood Drainage Improvements
Figure 1
Vicinity Map



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Map of Existing Drainage Issues



Project Goals



Minimize roadway flooding –
Target 10-year storm event

Minimize garage & crawl space
flooding of home along the east
tributary – 10-year flood event

Stabilize banks of west tributary

No adverse impacts downstream
of Ramblewood (under home
and at pond)

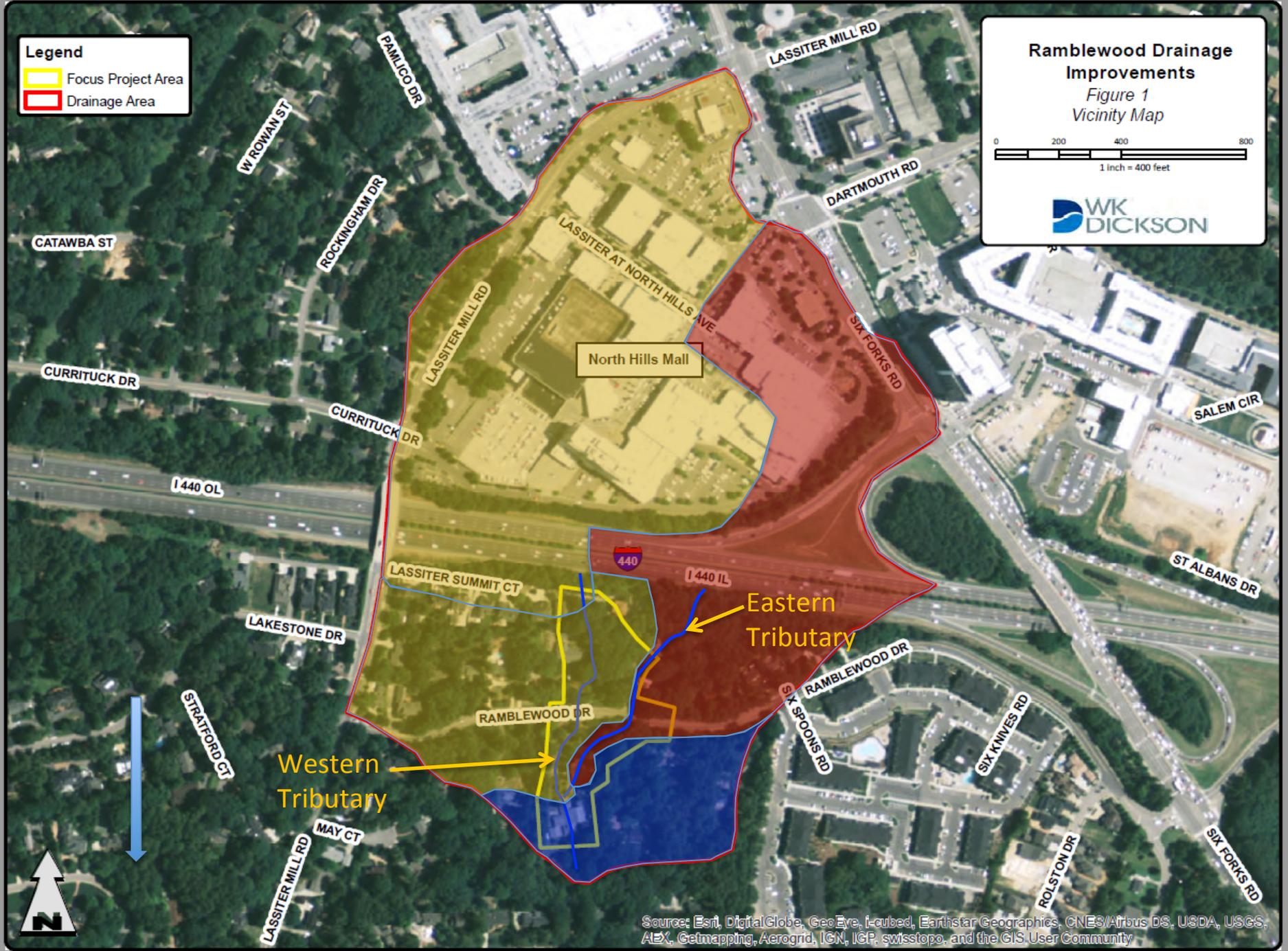
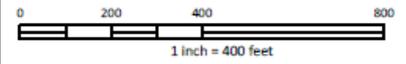
Upstream of Ramblewood Drive - Eastern Tributary



Legend

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Modeling Methodology



- Discuss Modeling Options
 - Steady State
 - Dynamic Wave

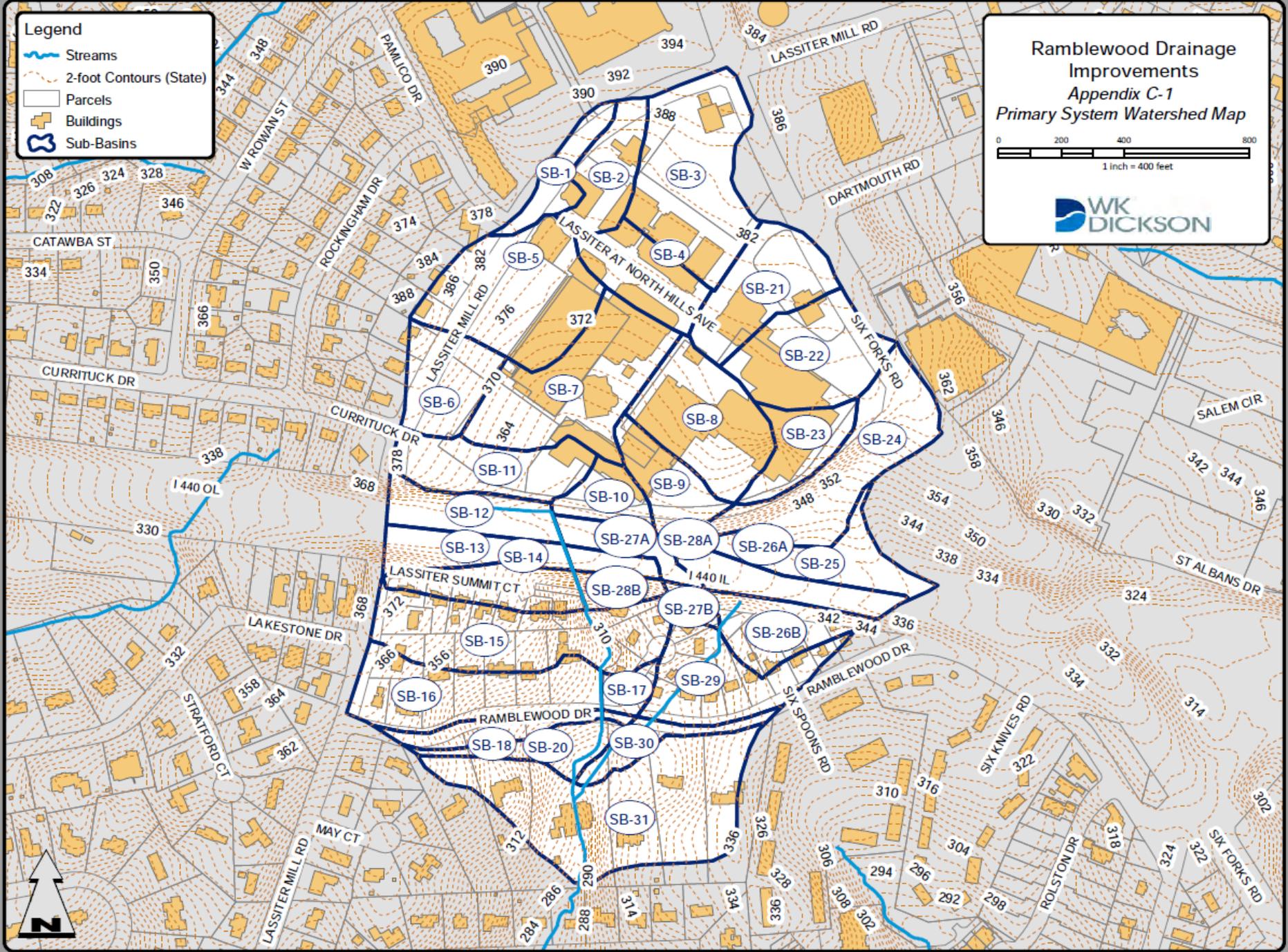
- Utilized EPA SWMM
 - Dynamic wave equation-based hydraulic models are important to use when:
 - Portions of systems have flat slopes
 - Model results need to account for backwater effects
 - Transitions between closed system and open channel analysis flow is needed
 - Model results need to account for Storage/Sump areas

Legend

- Streams
- 2-foot Contours (State)
- Parcels
- Buildings
- Sub-Basins

Ramblewood Drainage Improvements
Appendix C-1
Primary System Watershed Map

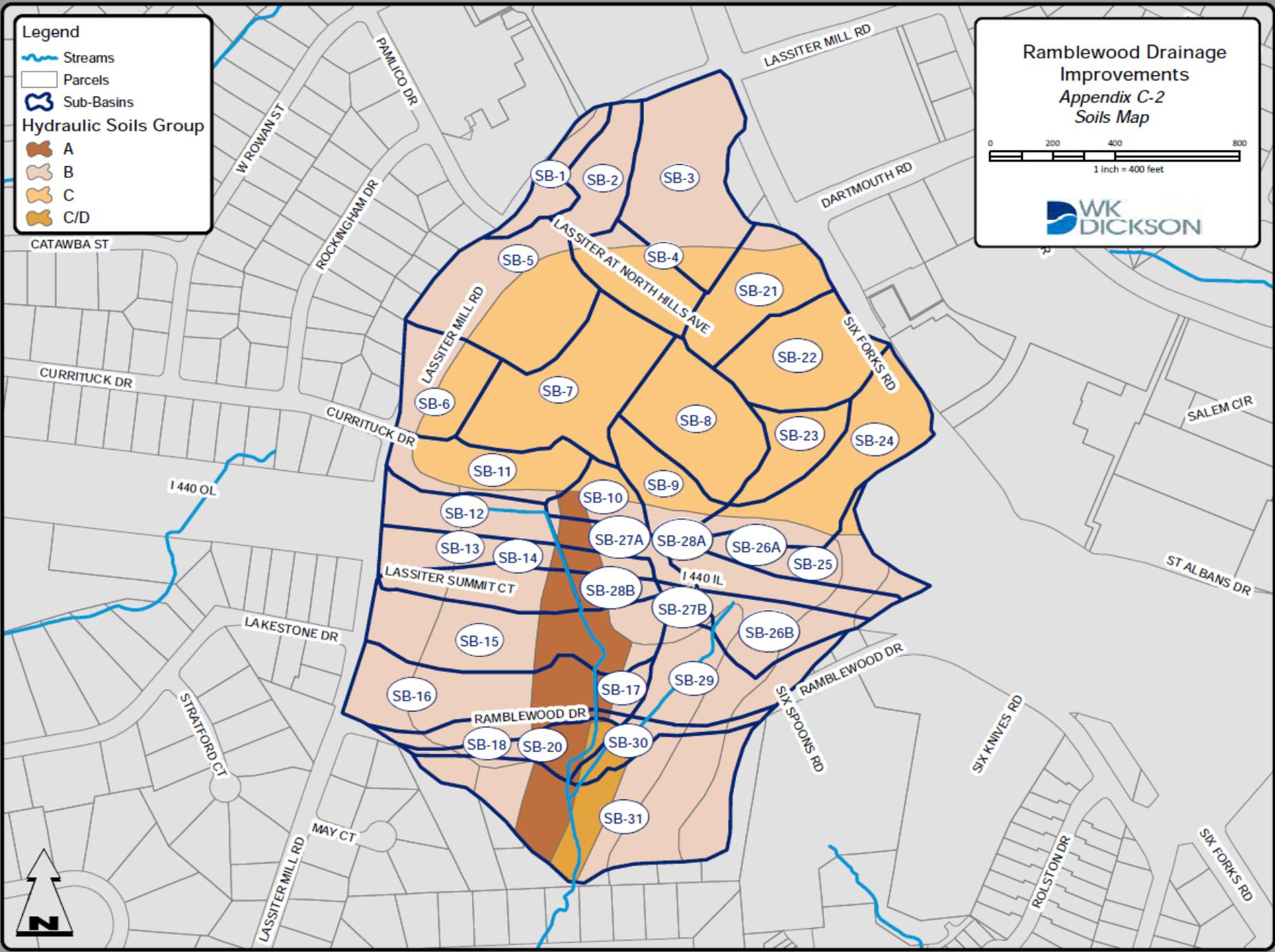
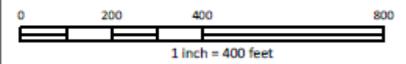
1 inch = 400 feet



Legend

- Streams
- Parcels
- Sub-Basins
- Hydraulic Soils Group
 - A
 - B
 - C
 - C/D

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Appendix C-2
Soils Map



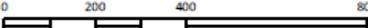
Legend

-  Streams
-  Parcels
-  Sub-Basins

Land Use

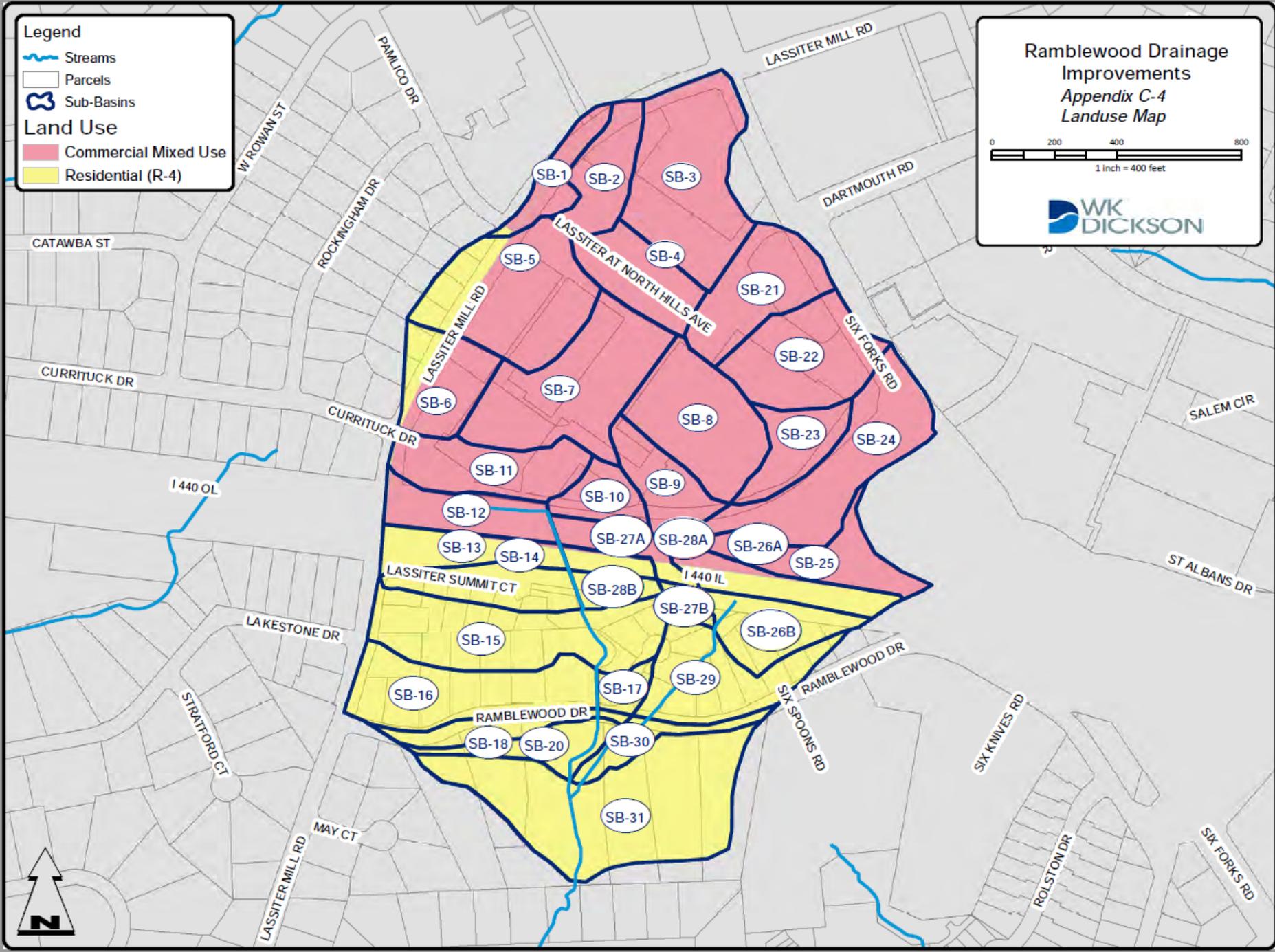
-  Commercial Mixed Use
-  Residential (R-4)

**Ramblewood Drainage
Improvements
Appendix C-4
Landuse Map**



1 inch = 400 feet

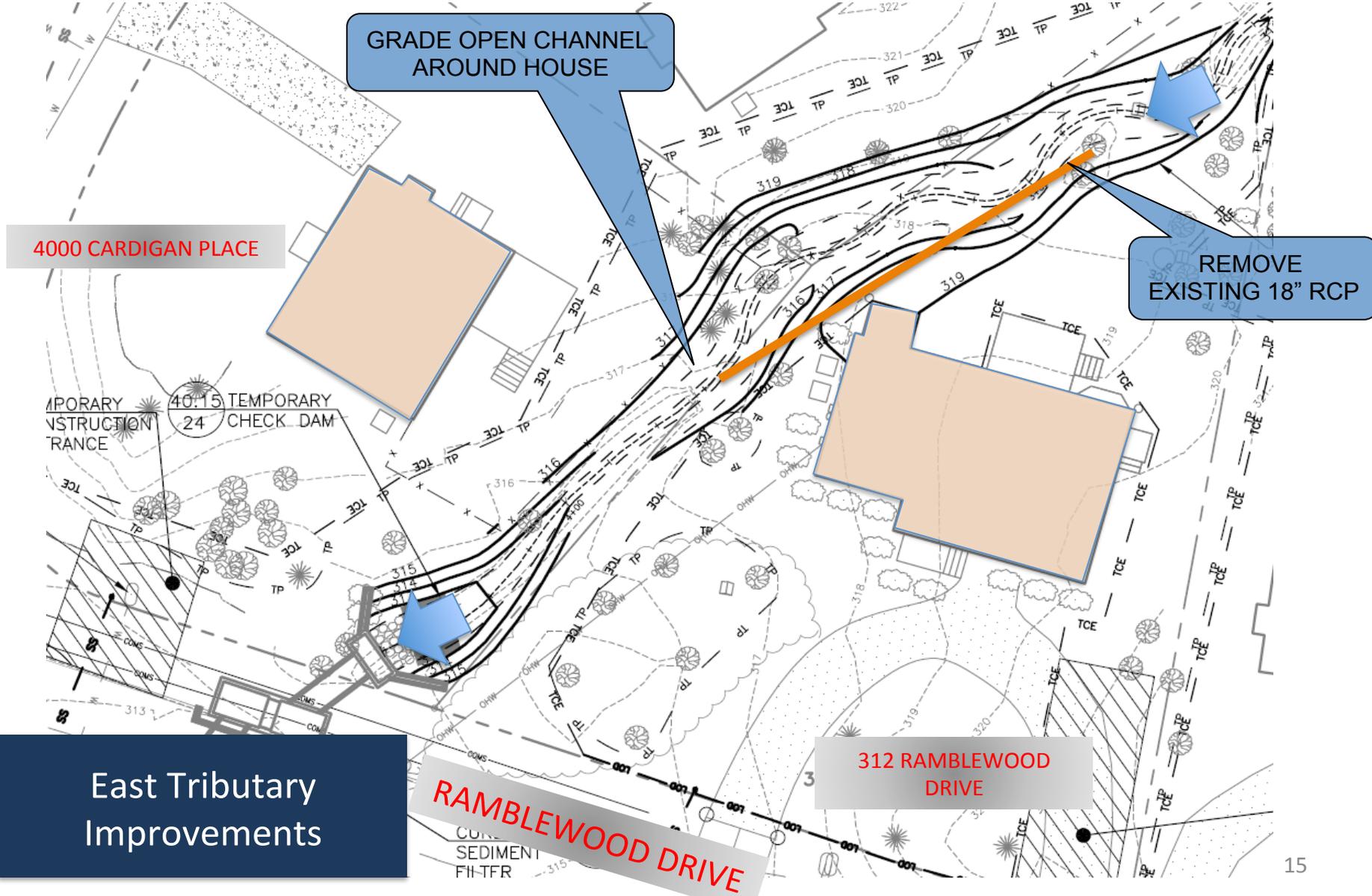




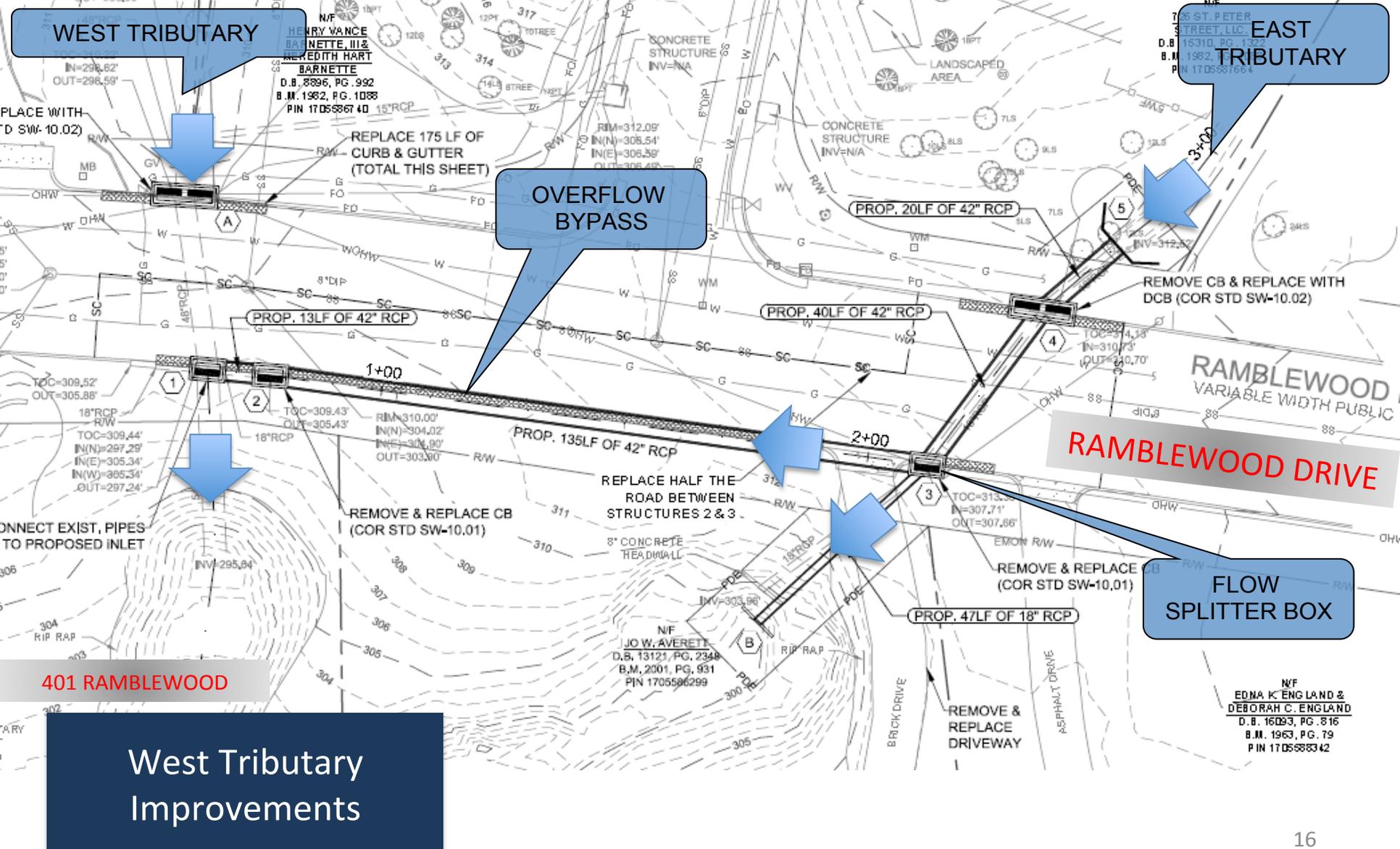
SWMM Model



Recommended Improvements



Recommended Improvements



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EAST TRIBUTARY

OVERFLOW BYPASS

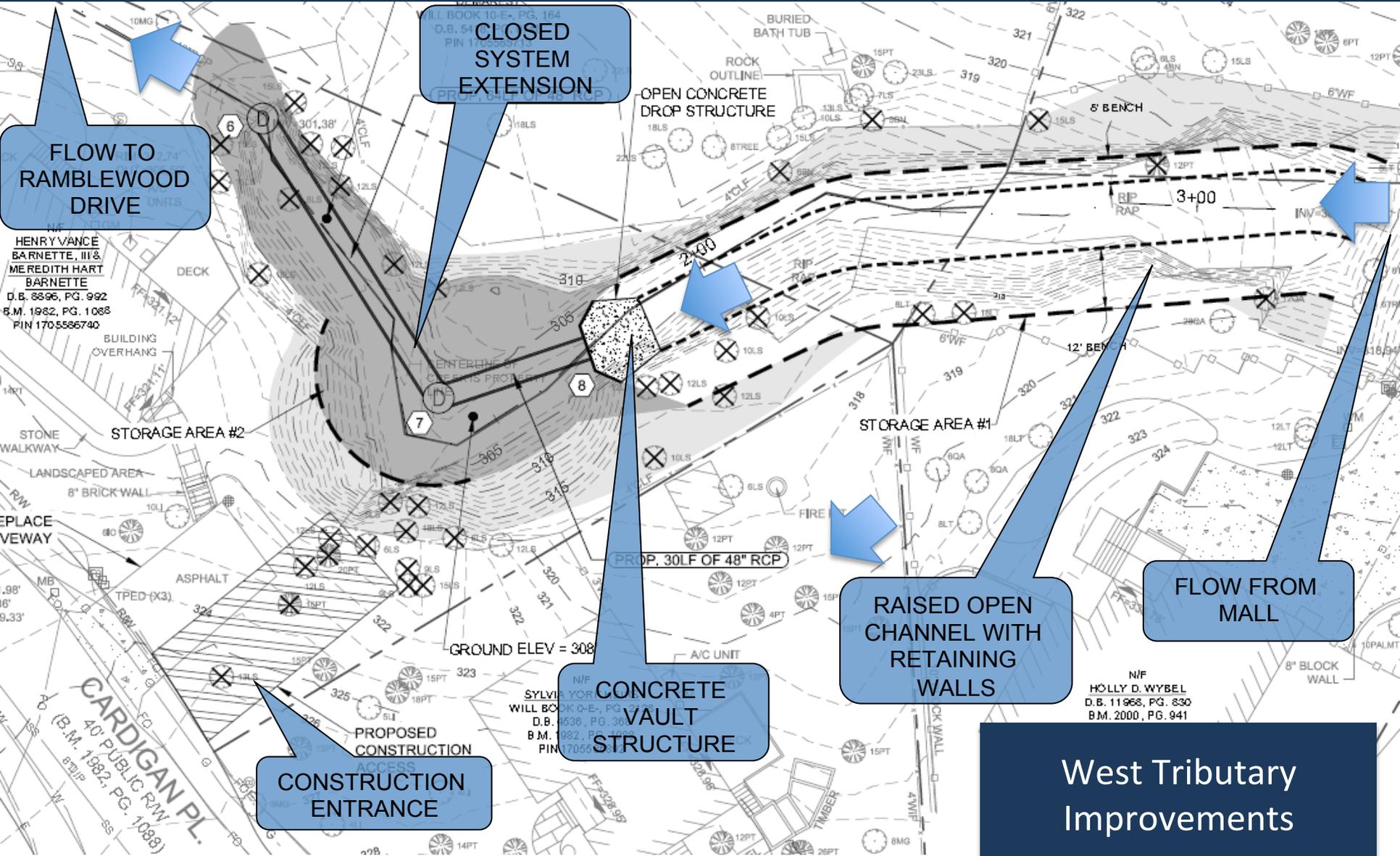
RAMBLEWOOD DRIVE

FLOW SPLITTER BOX

401 RAMBLEWOOD

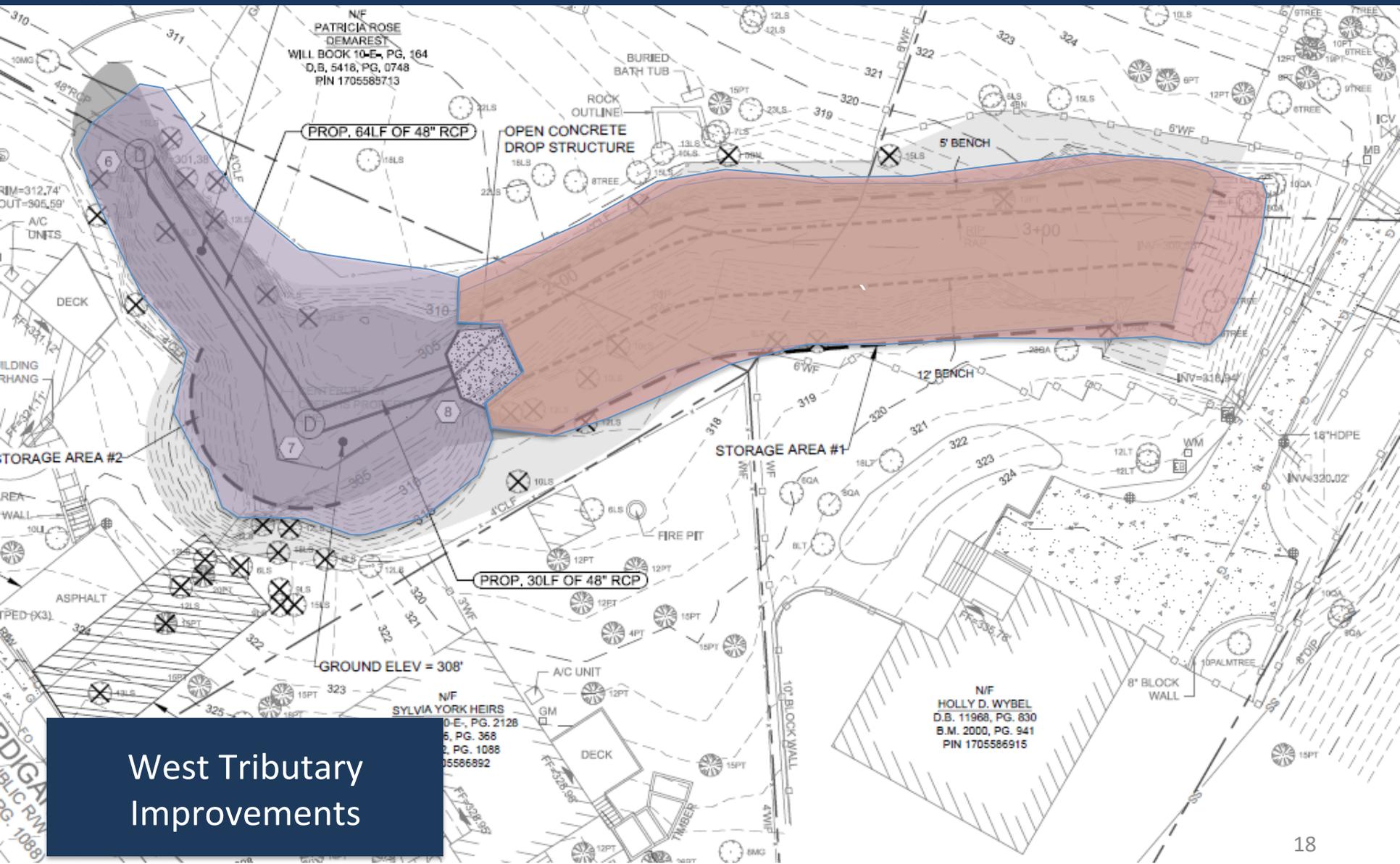
West Tributary Improvements

Recommended Improvements



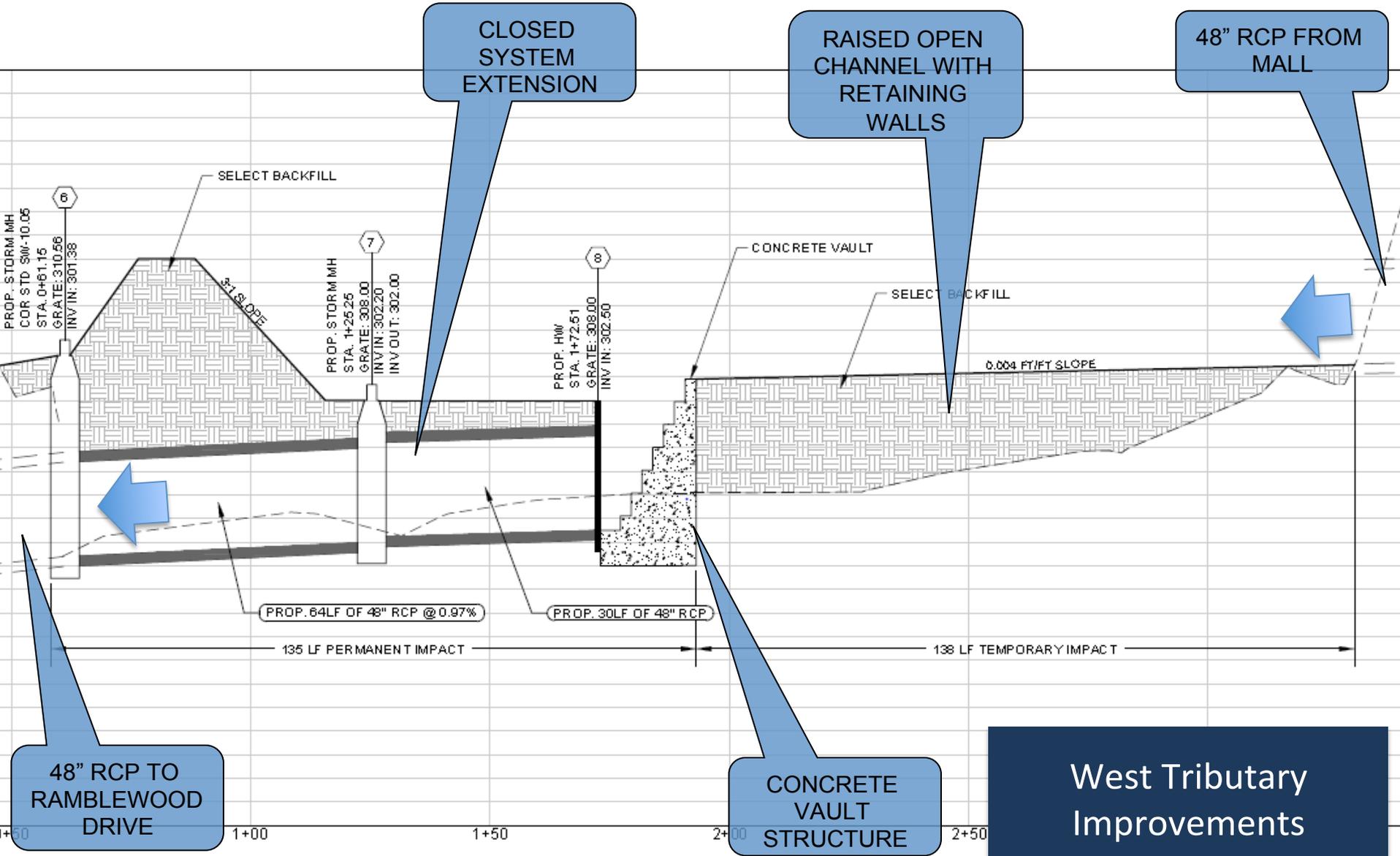
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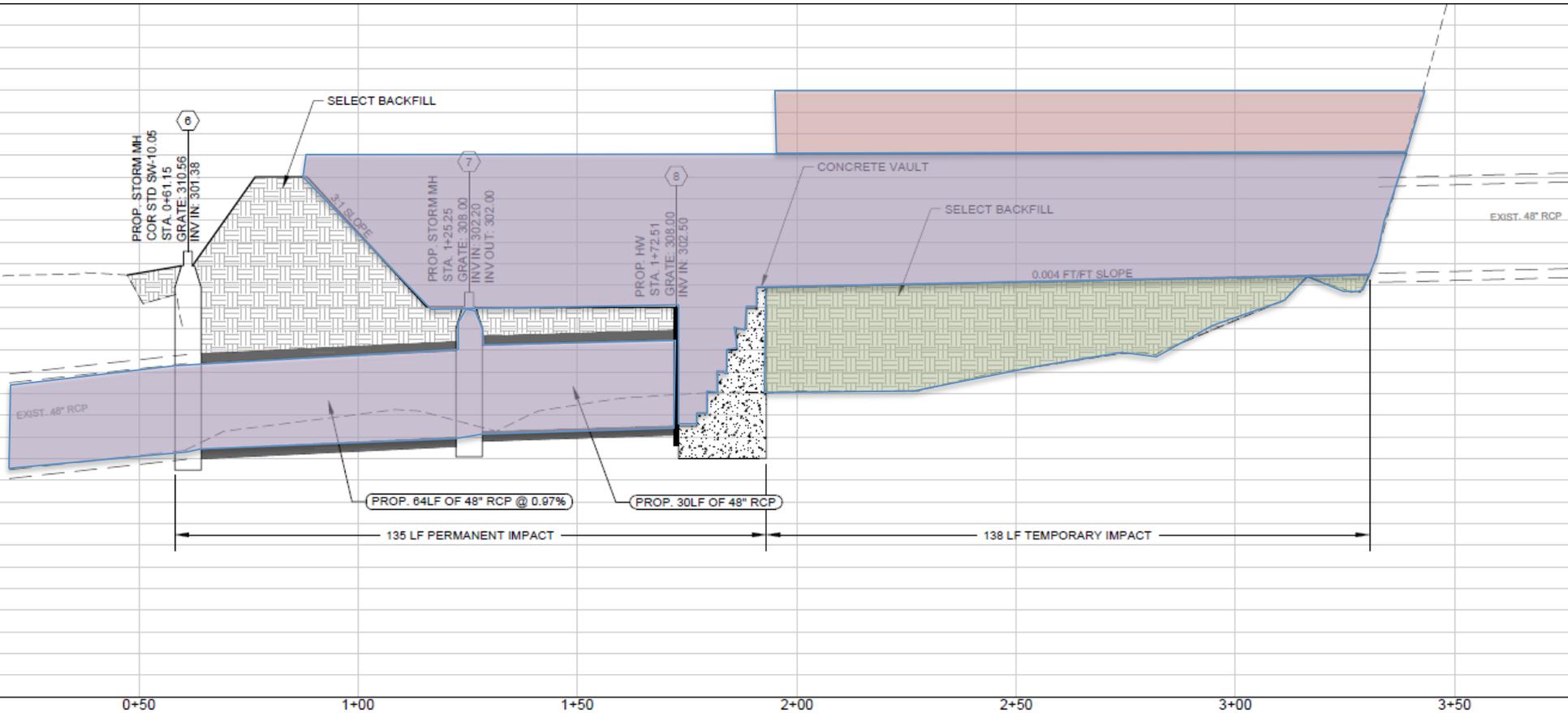
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WESTERN TRIB PROFILE

West Tributary
Improvements

Model Results @ West Tributary – Flooding



Model Results @ West Tributary – Channel Stability



Model Results @ 401 Ramblewood Drive – Peak Flows



Table H-2: Flows Under Home at 401 Ramblewood Drive – Existing Conditions

2-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	10-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	25-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	50-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	100-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	Flow Capacity (cfs)
145.0	217.9	270.2	308.7	352.5	439.1

Table H-4: Flows Under Home at 401 Ramblewood Drive – Proposed Conditions

2-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	10-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	25-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	50-Year Peak Flow (cfs)	100-Year Peak Flow (cfs)
145.0	221.8	269.1	291.8	351.5

Ex. 500-Yr Peak Flow (cfs)	Prop. 500-Yr Peak Flow (cfs)	Change (cfs)
427.3	423.7	3.6

Model Results @ 401 Ramblewood Drive – WSELs



Table H-3: Water Surface Elevation at 401 Ramblewood Drive – Existing Conditions

Location	Calculated Water Surface Elevation (feet NAVD)				
	2-year storm	10-year storm	25-year storm	50-year storm	100-year storm
401 Ramblewood Drive – Low Chord (Elevation = 292.4')	289.59	290.55	291.16	291.52	291.84

Table H-5: Water Surface Elevation at 401 Ramblewood Drive – Proposed Conditions

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401 Ramblewood Drive – Low Chord (Elevation = 292.4')	289.59	290.59	291.14	291.36	291.81

Schedule



Task	Date
Complete 30% Design Plans	May 2017
Conduct Initial Public Meeting	June 2017
Complete 70% Design Plans	September 2017
Secure Environmental Permits + Easement Acquisition	Jan 2018
Finalize Design Plans	June 2018
Relocate Private Utilities	Nov 2017 – April 2018
Send Out to Bid	August 2018
Begin Construction	August 2018

Questions?



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